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MEMORANDUM FOR Honorable McGeorge Bundy
Ambassador Llewellyn E. Thompson
Dr. John S. Foster, Jr.
Honorable John T. McNaughton
Honorable Donald F. Hornig
Dr. Edward C. Welsh
Dr. Albert Wheelon

Attached is a copy of a preliminary agreement reached at New York City on October 8 between representatives of NASA and the Academy of Sciences of the USSR which provides for the preparation and publication of a joint work on questions of space biology and medicine and on the prospects of work by both countries on these questions. This agreement was signed ad referendum, with a period of two months from the date of signature specified for making any corrections, additions, or comments on the text. At the expiration of the two-month period, the agreement will enter into force.

Please notify this office by November 15 of your concurrence in this agreement or of any changes which you would consider it necessary to make at this juncture of the negotiations. The text of the agreement will not be released until the expiration of the referendum period.

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Enclosure

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